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The petition filed on \_\_\_\_\_ under 37 CFR 1.312(b) is granted. The paper has been forwarded to the examiner for consideration on the merits.

- The amendment filed on Sep 12, 1997 under 37 CFR 1.312 has been considered, and has been:
- entered.
  - entered as directed to matters of form not affecting the scope of the invention (Order 3311).
  - disapproved. See explanation below.
  - entered in part. See explanation below.



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